No. 32. discussion of questions of local interest.

Marbie Hill Fress

The columns of THE PRESS are always free to the people of the county for the

TWENTY FOURTH YEAR.

One Dollar a Year.

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Marble Hill, Missouri, Thursday, December 22, 1904.

# Other One Concern?



Manager and the second of the

buyer has just returned from the market after thoroly ransacking the city for 25 bargains in merchandise. The following goods were bought and will go so cheap that the buying public will not be able to overlook the bargains. By paying cash, we were able to get these goods for one-half their real value:

to start it, per yd..... A. C. A. best Feather Tick, worth 20 All-wool Eiderdown, all colors, reg. 500

Silk Mercerized Waisting, colors white, brown, black, cream, blue, pink, all in raised designs, some with dots, some

Henrietta & Cashmere, all col., 22 lgc up. Worsted, double width, all col., 81 c up.

Cloths, Toweling, Maddress Counter-

panes, Shawls, Underwear for Infants, Children, Misses and Ludies. Embroideries and Trimmings of every kind. Baster Brown collars, each.... 19e. Ribbons, Laces, and lots of other goods that cannot be mentioned here will go

at one-half their value. We have the entire stock of a Ladies' Cloak Manufacturer and they must go. Ladies' Jackets, tight or loose fitting, military, and the latest styles, some ave silk lined and are worth as much as \$15, at this sale ........ \$1.50 to \$8. We have the biggest line of skirts in the county; latest styles from 75c to \$5. Capes and children's cloaks will go at 75c on the dollar.

### CLOTHING

We have clothing to fit and suit everybody, from a 3-year-old child to a man. Black Clay Worsted suits, all wool, regu-Navy Blue Suits, extra heavy, straight or round cut, regular \$10 val. for \$7. Boys' and Youths' clothing at very low

Men's Underwear, per suit ..... 45c. " Flannelette Underwear, colored Dress Shirts, either still or soft front, latest colors and styles, all 75c shirts

for 500; 31 shirts 75c. Hats, Caps and Gloves for Men and Boys at sacrificing out prices.

## SHOES

We handle only the beat brands of shoes, Dittman's and Brown's Star 5 Star are the best and here are some of our

Men's Shoes, either for every lay or Sun-Ladies Shoes, either everyday or Sunday, from..... 95c up. Children's Shoes, from ..... 40c up. Boys' or little Gents' Shoes, either Blucher, Patent Leather or Plain at 25c less on the dollar than you can get them elsewhere.

Rubber goods of every description almost at cost. 

Coffee in packages, long as it lasts, 10c per pound. Best Roast Coffee, regular 20c value, 7 pounds for 51.

### A PICTURE FREE

We give you a \$20 card when you make your first purchase and every time you purenase goods of us the amount will be punched in this card. When the eard shows that you have bought \$20 worth of goods from us, you are entitled to a life size picture. Ask for a eard if we should lorget it.

Remember this sale means many dollars saved if you take advantage of it. The goods must go; it's the money we need. For Bargains, come to, LUTESVILLE, MO.

Next Door To Postorfice.

down to test the flow of water, which is known to be very strong, Three or four different flows have been struck since the drill reached a depth of 1200 feet and no drill cultings have been brought to the surface because of the strong underflow. It is thought if pipes are put ! down to check the upper flows of water the bottom flows will have sufficient force to force the water to the surface, and if such proves to be the case we will have an unlimited quantity of the best water in the

tere ming deeper, pipe will be put

# Our Correspondents.

Leopold. Our farmers have been engaged

in killing hogs. Weights reported run from 250 to 562 pounds. Dr. J. M. Finney moved to Whitewater last Thursday.

Lamis last Sunday and will spend the holidays with relatives and fricteds here.

John Tenholder moved his stock of goods into his store building the past few days and is now busily en-

Burette Snider was in Leopold Tuesday.

a merry Christmas to The Paess.

bring you?

to the helidays with much pleasure. Vacation will begin Friday at noon and continue until January 2, 1905.

teacher, left Tuesday for Eureka, Kaussis, where she will spend a few days with friends after which she will return to Windsor, Mo., and visit her parents.

Missionary, visited us Tuesday and made us an interesting talk.

JUNIOR.

Health is good at present. Corn gathering is finished and the people are preparing for winter.

it now has two stores. M. L. Spradling contemplates

moving to Cape Girardean next fall better school advantages. R. J. (Dick) Welch, who is suffer-

this writing. Ray Self of Bloomfield is working for his brother-in-lay, B. L. Mc

Died-At his home near this place December 13, Hezekiah Eakins. Mr. Eakins had been cutting wood and Geo, F. Wigger was tried in the came to the house about 11 o'clock

Iron Mountain, town and lake, who will be missed very much. His

The following towns have new 000 being the price paid. It is said banks: Whitewater, Allenville, Oak that he contemplates making it a Ridge, Gordonville and Jackson. So if banks denote prosperity we think that Cape county is flying.

> New Year to The Press and readers. If this misses the waste basket I will come again.

## CAPE COUNTY ITE.

Health is reasonably good.

here next Sunday.

prosperous married life.

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# H. BISPLINGHOFF,

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That Will Attract the Attention of Everybody!

IN ORDER to make room for a different line of goods by the first of

the year, I have decided to closs out my entire stock of Clothing

at Cost. As this Stock must be sold by Christmas. You will

miss a great opportunity to buy Clothing Cheap if you do not buy

from me. Come and see how nicely we can fit you and the

rest. This time line of Clothing consists of a full and complete

Overcoats and extra Pants. See a few prices below:

quality of the goods and the prices we will make you will do the

GREAT CLOTHING SALE

assortment of sizes in

\$17.50.....\$14.00.

Boys' Long Pant Suits Reduc-

ed To:

\$8,00......86,00.

Missouri.

Marble Hill,

College Colleg

speculating where to spend Christ-mas. Most of them will attend

Our merchants have a good sup ply of Christmas goods. The stave factory is furnishing many of our people employment.

If this isn't snowed under before t reaches you I'll try again. MAYFIELD.

## Sedgewickville.

It seems that our correspondent t this place has ceased to exist, as such, and as the field is left open, I will walk in and see what I can do

Health is not very good at present, there being a few cases of

One of our Doctors, E. K. Statler

has been confined to his bed for some time with the fever but I am glad to report is convalescing. Died-On December, 8th at the

home of his fathor near this place after a prolonged illness of Typhoid fever, John C. Statler, aged 20 yrs. 7 mo. and a few days. Deceased was a member of the Luthern church and a nice young man. His funeral was conducted by Rev. Miller after which his remains were laid to rest in the Sedgewickville cemetery. The family has the sympathy of the entire community.

Work on the bell tower has been suspended on account of rough weather. The frame upon which We are having a little snow now the bell is to rest is 32 feet high and

O. K. Camp No. 11298, M. W. A., Sebaugh, W. A.; W. S. Smith, E. B.; Rev. W. A. Davault will preach C. R. Conrad, Clerk.; Dr. R. D. Blaylock, Escort; George M. Smith, Our Sunday School is progressing Watchman; Henry Bollinger, Sennicely under the management of try. By motion Drs. Blaylock and in our vicinity say that Woodcraft

Our public school is progressing

Our school is still progressing nicely under the able management so thick at present, on account of thates in irrigating and draining; if the legal tender quality of the exist- thought which any modification of was reached by the drill at the well understand what is required in the excellent teacher and an upright There will be a box supper at

of the crew left for St. Louis. Be- Our people are busily engaged As this is my first attempt I will body invited to attend. As to how

I have just received a good stock of Flooring, Ceiling, Siding and Shingles, and expect to add to this Stock other Building Material in the near future. Call and see me, adjoining the Bollinger County Undertaking Company's lot. N. L. FARQUHAR,

Lutesville, Mo.

# DR. FENNER'S

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Don't become discouraged. There is a cure for you. If necessary He has spent a lifetime curing just such cases as yours. All consultations are FREE. "I had suffered for a long time and for three weeks was down in bed, unable to move without great pain because of pains in my back, which several doctors pronounced lumbago. They failed to give me any relief whatever. A sample bottle of Dr. Fenner's Kidney and Backacho Cure greatly relieved me. I bought and used two more bottles and was completely cured, al-

though my occupation as a dyer requires me to be much about water and often my clothing becomes damp or very wet. I have suffered no return of the trouble nor any signs of rheumatism.

Yours truly, FRED BRANDT, 213 N. Elbright St., Muncie, Ind."
Sold by Druggists, 50c. and \$1. Ask for Dr. Feuner's Almanac or Cook Book—Free.

wish you, both readers and publishers, much success.

## Bessville.

After a prolonged absence I wil attempt to write again.

busy these days. Ira Welker went to Lutesville

Hon. J. M. Welker had about 35

tons of hay baled last week. Otto Watts, who has employment

erator and a model young man. The stave haulers are not quite

Bessville New Year's eve. Every-

ring off for fear I may tire the edi- the proceeds will be applied, has The car load of furniture that was sold at auction at Bessville De-

is supposed that Mr. Ellinghouse will bring on another car load. Wishing The Press and its readers a merry Christmas and a glad Dr. G. H. Limbaugh is not very New Year, I am, ROBIN HOOD,





DRY COODS All-wool Jeans, for pants, reg. 50: goods

per yd, to start it ...... 121,4. All-wool Dress Flannel Trico, all colors, reg. 40° value, per yd.............221, c. 

Silk Mercerized Waist Flannel, extra heavy, white with blue dot, cream with red dot, white with black dot, blue with black dot, 50c val. per yd. ..... 25%.

with ra.sed stripes, 40c val. per yd. 20c. Dress or Waist Flannel, 15e val... 10e. " " " 20c " 121.c. All-wool water proof goods, colors gray, black, caster blue, mingled, dotted brown, steel, etc., 75c val., per yd. 48c. Brilliantine, 44 in. black, 75c val for 45c. brown and blue 75c val. for 45c.

Table Linen, 60 in. wide, either white or red, extra quality, 50c val. only .... 25c. Voil in black dress goods, from 48c up; some with silk raised dot. Lots of other waist g ods that sell from 15 to 20e, at this sale will go at ... 10 to 12 be. Flanneletts, all colors, solid or fancy, Linens, Duck Lace Curtains, Table

WARONKER BROTHERS,

The republican editors over the country have almost gone into "fits" over the recent election. When they get to having fits we know what to do for them. Just give them a dose of 50,000 democrat majority two years from now .-Salem Democrat-Bulletin. For fear they do have fits next time we had better give 'em a dose

bad enough to go after it.

It can protect trusts in afanssing ing silver dollar, retire the green- the constitution should receive. Monday night, and Tuesday three school room. enermous fortunes aff of the per- back legal tender currency and turn Educational Outlook.

THE exploition committee of the nothing too good for them, neither and Herald. Worlds's Fast report that they is there any danger of them ever be- "Tur gold standard is irrevocably burned at Kennett December 13 spent \$39,704.74 in general news- ing "weighted down" with any established." but "needs a little more Loss, above insurance, \$1000. paper advertising. How much of more "prosperity" than they destixing." The Paess called attention this lid the country papers get? serve. It seems to be quite a fad to this fact during the last session Don't all speak at once. Lead Belt with some city newspapers to of Congress when the bill was in-Nor a red cent of it ever came farmers. "Ring off;" When you into sulsidiary coin, thereby rethis way unless it went on down get your prosperity the way the far- ducing the volume of legal tender. S. T. Gresham, a Farmington at-

Those misguided people who contend that the financial question is a The Fate of the Amendments Circuit court at Farmington last and complained of pains in his "dead issue" may or may not be undeceived by the recommendation of anyhow. An ounce of prevention Why not go the whole thing? people of one of their legal tender not enough interest manifested in Senator Latimer's bill approprationneys; as Congressman Williams them to give them serious thought. ing \$24,000,000 to help the farmers put it in the house the other day, it A comparison of figures in this conbuild good roads has been favorably "would displace government-pro-nection is of interest. The first reported from the committees. In vided money with bank-provided amendment, providing for the penthis connection the Kansas City money, and thereby enable the sioning of disabled policemen in Journal remarks: "It should be so banks to make a profit on it." The cities of one bundred thousand or town burned Monday night. The amended as to approiate another attempt to make silver dollars a more, the expense to be borne by barn was used by H. E. Matlock

\$24,000 000 to help the farmers get mere token money redeemable in these cities, was defeated by 75,000 and other parties. About 3,000 lbs. good wagons to run on the roads. gold would deprive the people of majority. The second amendment, of cotton, 100 bushels of corn and The farmers are pretty well weight another one of their legal tender providing for the adoption of the 100 bales of hay were lost. Barn ed down with prosperity, but they moneys. The money trust will be initiative and referendum, was lost and contents a total loss, there beprobably will not refuse fifty mil- made more powerful and its profits by 53,500 votes. The third, the ing no insurance. lions or so if Congress insists on off the people enhanced if the pres- amendment providing for free text- A new bank has recently been and rabbits are walking in on two will add much to the appearance of tor. Hoping to see this in print I not yet been decided. their taking it."-St. Louis Star. ident's recommendation is carried books in the public schools, was organized at Oak Ridge. Trains legs with their noses toward the the church. Where are the farmers who "are out and already the work of tinker- defeated by 53,200. The Oliver are now running ss far as Oak ground. pretty well weighted down with ing with the tariff to this end has amendment, the fourth as it was Ridge on Mr Houck's Cape Girar- Born-To Mr. and Mrs. D M. elected the following officers for prosperity?" When have the far- begun in the House. It has been a known, received 123,500 votes deau and Perryville road and Oak Masters Saturday, December 10, a the ensuing year Saturday eve. Dec. mers of this country received any- long insidious movement on the against it. The provision to create Ridge, already a pretty little town, fine girl. Mother and babe are doing 10: J. W. Fulbright, V. C.; J. W. thing from the government that part of the great banking institu- a fund for the construction of a a good business center, in an excel- nicely. they did not earn? How much tions to deprive the government of new statehouse, the fifth amendment lent agriculturrral region, will take money is taken from the pockets of the money-making prerogative and was loss by about 114,000. It is to on a new lease of life. these same farmers every year by secure the full control of that be regretted that constitutional Lead Belt News. syndicates and trusts under the powerful leverage to them-selves, amendments which the general as- J. H. Watson, who has for the guise of protection? We are as Beginning with the surreptitious sembly consider worthy of considerate worth wort truch opposed to paternalism as and practical destruction of the bi- cration by the people, and some of operator at the M. R. & B. T. station Mr. Green thoroly understands the cians of the camp. A great many anybody, and when during the last metallic policy of the government which, in this case, should have in Flat River, suddenly departed work. session of Congress that bill was in 1873, with the aid of the repubbleen adopted, should receive so for parts unknown Sunday morning Mr. John Mayfield and Miss is dead but it is a grand mistake introduced, copies of it were sent to lican party and not a few democrats little thought from the average under peculiar circumstances. Wat. Naunie Mayfield were joined by for we are growing all the time. as operator on the Frisco line, is the newspapers all over the country whose interests lie in the same dir voter. It would undoubtly be wise son had every appearance of being marriage last Sunday at the home Prof. J. Fikuart closed his school visiting his parents at Bessville. with a request that they urge its ection, they have succeeded in es to provide special elections for such an honorable, hard working young of the bride's parents. The writer here Friday Dec. 9th reasons for Mr. Watts is a very successful oppassage. But because of its patern- tablishing a single gold standard, amendments that due consideration man, and made many friends during wishes them a long, happy and which are not made public. alistic tendencies we refused to have Now they feel that they are suffi- should be given them and at a time his stay here. anything to say about it. But if ciently entrenched to move forward when no other question or issue Benton Record. this government can assists syndiand accomplish the rest\_destroy will prevent their receiving the The contract depth, 1,500 feet, nicely. Mr. Mayfield seems to of B. F. Seabaugh. Frank is an the bad roads.

The republicans missed a great ple in a few years, we see no reason over to the national banks full conopportunity last fall! They ought why the farmers should not come trol of all paper money issues, at a to have fitted up an expedition and infor a little help, too. The farmer great profit to the banks and a loss sent it up after the North Pole, hewed this country out of the wil- to the government. The financial But they diden't seem to want it derness, they fought its battles and question will be a "dead issue" when made it what it is, the greatest there is nothing more for the money bands, R. M. Abernathy is the pur nation of all the earth and there is power to covet .- Farmington Times chaser.

prate about the "prosperity" of the troduced to recoin the silver dollars mer gets his and in the same propor- But to retire the greenbacks makes torney, has been appointed chief

in Missouri. President Roosevelt in his message, All of the five proposed consti- He is charged with burning a sa- ill. He was a member of the C. that the greenbacks be retired and tutional amendments were defeated loon belonging to Z. B. Jennings. M. church, a kind father and husband silver coin be made redesmable in by large majorites. The size of the gold. The retirement of greenbacks majorities was due, doubtless to the would add still more to the profits fact that coming as they did during ly been purchased by Wm. Smol- Guire cemetery. of national banks and deprive the the national campaign, there was

# Southeast News.

Cape Girardeau claims 8,357 in habitants under a recent census.

The St. Mary Times has changed

The residence of Mrs. D. R. Lentz The Farmington electric road is

running cars to Esther and will soon extend the service to Flat ing from paralysis, is no better at

tion you'll know a whole lot more matters worse and will just about clerk in the state auditor's office by give the money trust control of our Hon, W. W. Wilder, the new state circulating medium. Then what? auditor.

> comprising 1,6334 acres, has recent- remains were interred in the Mclinger, an Illinois capitalist, \$100,-

A barn on the Levi farm west of

John Price came down from St. arged in straightening up. News is scarce so I will close with

# W. M. College.

Christmas gift! What is old Santa Claus going to The students are looking forward

Miss Ella Cockrell, our language

Rev. Tralle, state Sunday School

The college boys have caps now, L. C. Denton, one of our old students, visited us Friday morning. With a merry Christmas and a glad New Year to all, I will close.

# Whitewater.

J. A. Roberts and family visited relatives in Bollinger county last Crump seems to be prospering as church we think,

in order that his children may have

week and convicted of arson and breast, and died before any of the typhoid. given five years in the penitentiary. family knew he was dangerously

A merry Christmas and a happy

Mayfield.

M. WOODCRAFT. cember 10, went very high, and it